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HORMONE FROM MICROORGANISMS

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of the above-identified copending prior application in which no patenting, abandonment, or termination of proceedings has occurred. Priority to the above-identified prior application is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 120 for this continuing application. The entire disclosure of the above-identified prior application is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuing application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

Enclosed are:

- [X] Specification and Claims and Abstract (48 pages).
- [X] Informal Drawings (17 pages, Figures 1-15)
- [X] Copy of the Declaration and Power of Attorney (4 pages).
- [X] Application is assigned in the parent application to NPS ALLELIX CORP.
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Prior to examination kindly amend the specification by inserting before the first line the following sentence: --This application is a divisional application of U.S. Application No. 08/461,436, filed June 5, 1995, which is a divisional of U.S. Application No. 08/340,664, filed November 16, 1994, which is a divisional of U.S. Application No. 08/087,471, filed July 2, 1993 (now U.S. Patent No. 5,420,242), which is a continuation of 07/821,478, filed January 15, 1992 (Abandoned), which is a continuation of 07/404,970, filed September 8, 1989 (Abandoned), which is a continuation-in-part of 07/393,851, filed August 14, 1989 (now U.S. Patent No. 5,010,010), which is a continuation of 06/921,684, filed October 22, 1986 (Abandoned).

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